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Much Grain Damaged in Alberta

Breezelets

A whole lot of us do not know what we need until we see it in a catchy advertisement.

That being so, that's another good reason why you should read the Advance advts.

Now the Huns are accusing Rumania of playing false.

That scrap of paper idea must be coming home to roost.

King Constantine is reported ill and to have lost a rib in the operation.

Possibly the whole truth of the thing is that he is sick of the whole thing and has lost his backbone.

"The pen is mightier than the sword," quoted the sage.

Sure, Mike! It is when it comes to getting a man into a heap of trouble.

"Great Britain is preparing to institute some almost Socialistic reforms after the war," reads a special dispatch from London.

Can it be possible that the British Government has our old friend and late fellow-townsmen, F. N. Lewis, at the head of this department?

"Bandits make a \$12,000 haul from mine man," is reported from Martin's Ferry, O.

In Canada we do things different—we allow the mine and oil well man to make the \$12,000 haul, and get away with it, too.

A noted physician says people who eat onions are said to live longer.

At least they probably do not contract any disease imparted by kissing.

For the second time the big span of the Quebec bridge collapses and goes smashing down to the bottom of the river.

Quebec seems destined to be in the smashing business. It has been refused the privilege of smashing up recruiting meetings, and now a worse disaster has fallen upon it, with loss of life.

Seed Grain & Potatoes

FREE DISTRIBUTION BY THE GOVERNMENT

By instructions of the Hon. Minister of Agriculture a distribution of superior sorts of grain and potatoes will be made during the coming winter and spring to Canadian farmers. The samples for general distribution will consist of spring wheat (about 5 lbs) white oats (about 4 lbs), barley (about 5 lbs), field peas (about 5 lbs). These will be sent out from Ottawa. A distribution of potatoes in samples of about 3 lbs. will be carried on from several of the experimental farms. All samples will be sent free by mail.

Only one sample of grain and one of potatoes can be sent to each farm. As the supply of seed is limited, farmers are advised to apply early. Requests received after the end of December will probably be too late.

Anyone desiring a sample should write (post free) to the Dominion Cerealist, Experimental Farm, Ottawa, for an application blank.

J. H. Grisdale,
Director, Dominion Experimental Farms.

August, 1917

MAY SEE END OF THE WAR

There are several predictions as to how long the war will last, among the latest being that of General Brusiloff, now at the Russian front. He predicts the end of the war by August next.

"The Austro-Hungary army, assailed from all sides," he said, "won't be able to stand much longer before the hordes of enemies who are hurling themselves against it and preparing to increase the vigor of their blows. The intervention of Rumania is an event of the first order. I am no prophet; the future is in God's hands, but if I had to make an hypothesis I should be inclined to think that the month of August, 1917, might see the end of our memorable work."

"The present war is one which it is impossible for the Allies to lose, although a great deal remains to be accomplished. A successful result is already in our hands, the game is already won."

Charity may begin at home, but when it keeps there it ends in a miser's gift to himself.

Registration—Then Conscription

SEEMS TO BE A PRETTY SURE THING

FROM utterances made now and again of late by public men—cabinet ministers and others, whose words have weight—it seems pretty certain that the dominion government have had and still have under consideration some form of conscription for Canada. It was thought a year or so ago—and even expressed by those in close touch in government circles—that conscription would not be necessary in the dominion. But, no doubt, circumstances have arisen since then that has changed that opinion. It looks as though the steady falling off of the voluntary system during the past few months may have had something to do with the government's changed attitude on this question. The falling off in the number of recruits is not because all the eligible men for service had been exhausted, for there are still several thousands of suitable men in the dominion, who, from one cause or another, have not responded to the call of the country. It seems pretty certain that the government has arrived at that point where they consider that other means must be adopted to bring in more recruits. Registration is the first stage towards that end. That some form of conscription will follow seems pretty sure.

Speaking before a large audience the other day, Sir George Foster, minister of trade and commerce, said: "If it becomes necessary to save the Empire that more men are needed and will not voluntarily go; the lesson of Great Britain will have to be learned in Canada." This is a war in which decisive victory must be won. The liberties of Canada are more precious than your life or mine, and if necessary we must lay down our lives on the altar."

R. B. Bennett, K.C., M.P., just returned from Ottawa, makes the following statement: "The whole question of utilizing to the best advantage the services of every citizen of Canada has been engaging the attention of the government for several months. Every man knows that the question is one of extreme difficulty. The voluntary system has produced wonderful results, especially in Western Canada, and in our own province of Alberta, as you know, many thousands have exceeded the quota that should be enlisted in Alberta if half a million men are to be raised in the Dominion. Conscription is probably not possible except by act of parliament. In England you will remember that having passed a measure providing for registration, subsequently a statute was enacted providing for conscription. Probably under the defence of the realm act, a modified measure of conscription could be promulgated in Canada, but undoubtedly legislative enactment would be required before any scheme could be made effective. I believe that steps will be taken to ascertain at an early date to what extent our citizens can be employed in national service. Probably the work of organizing a system will be placed in the hands of a civilian of high training and business experience and in each large district a director will be appointed. Badges will probably be given to those whose services are required for welfare of the nation, although they may not enlist for overseas service. The details of the plan will be worked out, I believe, during the next few days, and will probably be made public before the end of the week."

It is easy to read between the lines of these speeches that conscription in Canada is coming, and that the references in these speeches on conscription seem to be intended to prepare the people—particularly the slackers, and such like—for that measure which places conscription on the statute books of Canada.

A cable from Amsterdam says General von Bissing has remitted a heavy fine imposed on Brussels.

General von Bissing's rule seems to be "when in doubt, fine Brussels!"

The kaiser won't abdicate right away for the crown prince is too busy at Verdun just now to undertake any other big jobs.

Professor Hugo Munsterberg predicts that an alliance will be entered into by the United States, Great Britain and Germany by next Christmas.

Oughtn't the professor to take a long vacation.

If the Bremen succeeds in doing the ducking it may also succeed in doing the docking.

R. N. Mangles

IN A BAD RUNAWAY

News reached Chinook on Monday of a bad accident that happened to Mr. R. N. Mangles, sec.-treas. of the R. M. of Sounding Creek, with office at Youngstown. It seems that Mr. Mangles was out at his farm, some fourteen miles north of Chinook, and which adjoins Mr. Northgraves' place, where he had just started cutting his wheat. On Sunday morning he hitched up his horse and buggy with the intention of driving into Youngstown to bring his wife out to the farm for a few days. As far as we can learn he had not proceeded very far when his horse got frightened and ran away. Some time later his horse and buggy were found in his own pasture by some passing neighbors, but Mr. Mangles could not be seen. How the horse and buggy got into the pasture is a mystery, as the pasture is wire fenced all around, unless they came over the fence, and the horse, too, must have returned home by another road. Fearing an accident must have happened some of the neighbors went in search of Mr. Mangles. They had not gone far when traces of blood were found, and presently Mr. Mangles was discovered on the road, lying unconscious. On an examination being made, it was found that one of his legs was broken between his knee and ankle, besides a severe cut on his head. It is supposed he was flung out of the buggy with great force. He was at once conveyed to his home at Youngstown where medical aid was procured. We have not heard of his progress, but wish him as speedy a recovery as possible under the circumstances.

The home of the Rev. Arthur and Mrs. Barner, Calgary, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Monday afternoon, when Miss Ada E. Cober of Calgary was united in marriage to the Rev. J. D. Taylor of Wiste, Alberta.

The cheering suggesting that there is nothing like adversity to bring a man out, is understood to apply especially to his toes, knees and elbows.

The pessimist complains of the thorn among the roses; the optimist rejoices that, though there must be thorns, there are roses among them.

Second War Loan

IS NOW OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

The minister of finance has handed the following announcement to the press:

The second Canadian war loan is now being offered for public subscription. While the government is aware that Canadian patriotic sentiment alone could be depended upon to ensure success, strict regard has been had, in fixing the terms of the issue, to prevailing conditions with the object of making the offering attractive from the purely investment standpoint. The government is confident that this, the second loan for the purpose of raising funds for Canada's war expenditures, will meet with the same loyal and generous response which made the first war loan so strikingly successful.

RED CROSS FUND

The following are additional subscriptions to the local Red Cross fund:

M. E. Bird	\$5.00
S. Machell	5.00
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E. A. Carpenter	1.00
Joe Deman	1.00
T. O. Stephenson	1.00
R. O. Morin	.50

Substantial Gains

The capture of Soyecourt and Chilly by the French on Sept. 5 made a total of twenty-nine villages taken since the start of the Somme front. The positions wrested from the Germans on the 5th were powerfully organized. At Barleux one of the strongest positions on this front, repeated direct attacks were unsuccessful and the French finally resorted to a turning movement, attacking to the southwest. The Germans counter attacked no less than six times in a desperate effort to regain lost ground.

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Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required, except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties—Six months' residence in each of six years after earning homestead patent; also 30 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions. A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 30 acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be satisfactorily for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. CORY, C.M.G.
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior
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Most people are ticklish on their praise bone. Try 'em.

Bills are out for a harvest-home dance to be held in Chinook, on Friday, Sept. 22nd

Blinks—Shafer, do you know that woman across the road?

Shafer—She certainly looks familiar. Let me see. It's my wife's new dress, my daughter's hat and my mother-in-law's parasol—sure. Why, it's our cook.

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10 per cent on application;
30 " " 15th October, 1916;
30 " " 15th November, 1916;
27½ " " 15th December, 1916.

The total allotment of bonds of this issue will be limited to one hundred million dollars exclusive of the amount (if any) paid for by the surrender of bonds as the equivalent of cash under the terms of the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915.

The instalments may be paid in full on the 15th day of October, 1916, or on any instalment due date thereafter, under discount at the rate of four per cent per annum. All payments are to be made to a chartered bank for the credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture and the allotment to cancellation.

Subscriptions, accompanied by a deposit of ten per cent of the amount subscribed, must be forwarded through the medium of a chartered bank. Any branch in Canada of any chartered bank will receive subscriptions and issue provisional receipts.

This loan is authorized under Act of the Parliament of Canada, and both principal and interest will be a charge upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Forms of application may be obtained from any branch in Canada of any chartered bank and at the office of any Assistant Receiver General in Canada.

Subscriptions must be for even hundreds of dollars.

In case of partial allotments the surplus deposit will be applied towards payment of the amount due on the October instalment.

Scrip certificates, non-negotiable or payable to bearer in accordance with the choice of the applicant for registered or bearer bonds, will be issued, after allotment, in exchange for the provisional receipts.

When the scrip certificates have been paid in full and payment endorsed thereon by the bank receiving the money, they may be exchanged for bonds, when prepared, with coupons attached, payable to bearer or registered as

to principal, or for fully registered bonds, when prepared, without coupons, in accordance with the application.

Delivery of scrip certificates and of bonds will be made through the chartered banks.

The issue will be exempt from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

The bonds with coupons will be issued in denominations of \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Fully registered bonds without coupons will be issued in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000 or any authorized multiple of \$5,000.

The bonds will be paid at maturity at par at the office of the Minister of Finance and Receiver General at Ottawa, or at the office of the Assistant Receiver General at Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, or Victoria.

The interest on the fully registered bonds will be paid by cheque, which will be remitted by post. Interest on bonds with coupons will be paid on surrender of coupons. Both cheques and coupons will be payable free of exchange at any branch in Canada of any chartered bank.

Subject to the payment of twenty-five cents for each new bond issued, holders of fully registered bonds without coupons will have the right to convert into bonds of the denomination of \$1,000 with coupons, and holders of bonds with coupons will have the right to convert into fully registered bonds of authorized denominations without coupons at any time on application to the Minister of Finance.

The books of the loan will be kept at the Department of Finance, Ottawa.

Application will be made in due course for the listing of the issue on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges.

Recognized bond and stock brokers will be allowed a commission of one-quarter of one per cent on allotments made in respect of applications bearing their stamp, provided, however, that no commission will be allowed in respect of the amount of any allotment paid for by the surrender of bonds issued under the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915. No commission will be allowed in respect of applications on forms which have not been printed by the King's Printer.

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(Continued)

He was overwhelmed with questions, and found it at first quite impossible to get a few words with Ursula, who was on floors to hear what steps he had taken towards the recovery of her pearls.

The poor man got quite confused under the bombardment.

"Look here," he said at last, after he had vainly tried to get the younger and more voracious members of the party understand that he knew nothing about the absentees and their reasons for leaving town. "I really can't answer everybody at once. And I can't answer any questions about the other fellows. All I know is that when we got to Euston, Payne disappeared like a rabbit popping into a haring net. I saw Eastling was with me one moment and gone the next."

"I say," said Hugo, trying to drag his brother-in-law out of the thong. "I want to know whether you've done anything in the matter of the pearls. It's got to be my mother's now, and we've had a dreadful scene. Marie told me all about it and we tried to keep it quiet, but it can't be. The story spread like wildfire."

By this time Mrs. Oare-Jackson, who was indeed in a state of acute distress about the loss of the pearls, less on account of the value of the jewels than because of the unpleasant feeling caused by the loss, had come up, and insistively the rest of the party fell away, so that the mother, her son, daughter, and son-in-law were able to discuss the affair together.

"I want to see my solicitor," explained Fincham, "and he told me to ask Mr. Jackson whether he would care to have a detective sent down to the house."

There was a strongly marked difference of opinion about this matter, and it was finally decided that the matter should be referred to Mr. Jackson himself.

In the meantime it was getting late and the carriages and cars were ready to take the party to the nearest town, where the great meeting was to be held.

Lady Ursula, who was uneasy at her husband's absence, was so much shocked to find that her wishes were overruled and she had to take the seat on the platform which had been assigned to her.

She found herself sitting next to a tall, handsome lady, with dark eyes and silver-white hair, and a striking personality that she was attracted and interested, even before she knew the name of the white-haired lady was Lady Creslow.

The attraction appeared to be mutual, for presently the white-haired lady got someone to sit next to her, and during the half-hour of waiting, which preceded the arrival of the train, the two ladies got into animated conversation.

After explaining that she had come from a long distance in order to be present at the meeting, Lady Creslow asked whether Lady Ursula was living in the neighbourhood.

"I am staying at Oare Court with Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, friends of my husband's," replied Lady Ursula. "Indeed! I feel very much inclined to accept the invitation they have most kindly given me to spend the night there."

"Then you and I would have an opportunity of becoming better acquainted," she added, "and I hope you will come," said Lady Ursula.

And then she looked at the white-haired woman with the dark eyes, with an interest and curiosity which she herself could not resist.

"What was there about this stand, her face, her voice, which recalled vague memories which she could not distinguish."

Again and again, in the course of the evening amid the excitement of the meeting, Lady Ursula's mind wandered from political platitudes to a topic of deeper interest to her: what was there in Lady Creslow which made her so curiously fascinating?

The two ladies, of deliberate purpose, got into the same car on their way to Oare Court, and during the drive they began to exchange confidences.

The elder lady recalled the political meetings she had attended in earlier days, when her husband was in bed kept in the background by the fact that her husband was a Whig.

"We never let our divergent views interfere with our good fellow-feeling," added she with a smile. "And now that he is paralysed and unable to attend such gatherings himself he is interested to hear what goes on. While I am here, I have been made home come over to the side of—well, in fact, to the right side," she added with a hurried smile.

Lady Ursula confessed that politics did not greatly interest her.

"I was there tonight," she said, "because my husband wished to."

"He is an ardent politician," said Lady Ursula.

"I don't know," she said, "but he takes more interest in these things than I do, though he says his father was a Whig."

"Well, the old Whigs are among the Conservatives now," said Lady Ursula. "Perhaps you think it strange that he should be so ardent still; but I am in the exceptional position of having to perform duties which in the ordinary course fall upon the male members of a family. My husband is an invalid, an eldest son, and is mentally unbalanced as the result of an accident, and my second son is—"

inary course fall upon the male members of a family. My husband is an invalid, an eldest son, and is mentally unbalanced as the result of an accident, and my second son is—"

She paused, and Lady Ursula watched her narrowly, for on the handsome old face there had suddenly appeared lines indicative of grave distress.

"I hardly like to speak of him," she ended sadly.

Lady Ursula felt her heart go out to this woman, who, with care so to woman and deep, could yet take her place in the world and bear the duties of a great position so manfully.

"You mean that he is unworthy but—that you love him still," said Lady Ursula.

"Yes," she replied, "that is so. You understand, then? Have you ever felt anything like that?"

"No," she said, "I have never felt anything like that."

"At any rate," she said gently, "you can never have felt the same as I have, being mother of a son who would stick at nothing in pursuit of his own selfish purposes, who would commit forgery."

"Forgery?" echoed Lady Ursula, sitting erect.

"That even," who would bring disgrace upon his family, who would have shrunk from bringing ruin, too, if that had been the case."

Lady Ursula listened with burning eyes.

"Do you mean that he had to be prosecuted?"

"No," she avoided that. But at a sacrifice, as you may guess. He was forgiven, and he was only one course left: he was exonerated. I don't know."

"And you can never forgive him?" said Lady Ursula.

Lady Ursula hesitated, and then said, in a low voice—

"I wish I could. And I sometimes hope, pray, that I may, but I can never believe that he was wickedly bad at heart. There was a time when he was a very good man."

"But you will think me a foolish old woman for saying that. It is before the fact, to be merciful, or to believe in a ghost."

"Isn't it?" said Lady Ursula, in a hoarse, quavering voice. "Well, then, I am sure you will be able to keep out of the fashion."

(To Be Continued.)

French Maimed Learning Wireless

A happy idea occurred to the Mayor of Lyons, who is engaged in training maimed soldiers. Apart from agriculture and light industrial occupations, he perceives that a number of highly educated men, especially those badly handled in the war, would find a place at any of these occupations, and he suggested that they might be trained to do good work as wireless operators.

The suggestion was adopted at Lyons, and now a large school of instruction in wireless telegraphy is in operation at Lyons, and the success of it has far exceeded expectations, and while in London, England, the same idea is being brought to the attention of the students or to enable them to start something on the same line.

The R.N.W.M.P.

From time to time we read of clever captures made in Western Canada by the "mounties."

The Non-Combatant Corps

Working With the Hands Was New to Britain's Conscientious Objectors

Frederick Palmer writes from Birmingham, England, in France. Unique among all the varied units of the armies on the continent is the British Non-Combatant Corps, or otherwise the "conscientious objectors' corps." The objectors are not expected to fight, and are not expected to fight, but, by conscience, is their reason for being excused. Before the war in England, where individual rights are so strongly recognized, the Quakers were not required to bear arms because it was against his religious scruples. When conscription was applied another class arose. They said that they had conscientious scruples against the taking of life. If they would not fight, then they must work, the Government decided.

Where a non-combatant was in the army under normal conditions must drill for many months before he is sent to the front. The objectors are given a few days' drill, put in khaki and sent to France at once. They are then sent to the front, where they are given the same pay as the men in the trenches, and the same ration, with an extra allowance of meat which is given to the more corpulent.

At the time the N.C.C.'s were engaged in railway work. Practically no objection was made by the men in the trenches, but they were not used to manual labor, but though it was pretty hard at first they said that they would be inured to it in time. One was a B.A. of Cambridge University. None had any complaints to make. The majority were clerks and shopkeepers. Many were members of the Plymouth Brotherhood, a sect which is much respected by the Quakers. These said that it was against their creed to fight and they would not break their creed. They spoke quite about the objectors of cowardice which is made against them, and seemed to realize that they were doing a very noble thing.

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Dog That Won the V. C.

Jack, the Famous Pet of the Guards, Is Honored.

One of the most famous regimental pets that ever lived was "Jack," who was found, when a poor little puppy, by a sentry outside St. James' Palace. Snow was on the ground at the time, and Jack was very much attracted to the sentry, touched, picked it up and fed it. The dog eventually became very much attached to the sentry, whose regiment, the Scots Guards, adopted the animal as a pet.

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Tommy's French Bride

How Naturally Entente Marriage Alliances Are Fostered.

Frederick Palmer writes from the British headquarters in France: One of the results of the presence of the British army in France is that a good many British soldiers will take French wives home with them. The difference in language, far from being a bar is an accessory. Mr. Atkins teaches Miss France English and Miss France teaches Mr. Atkins French. There is plenty of leisure for tourneys to develop. Frequently British soldiers remain in the same section for months on end. When the men have done their shift in the trenches they return to rest in the houses where they were before. Usually they have quarters in French houses, in a sense they become members of the community.

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Editor and Proprietor

Chinook Breezes

The rain of this week again delayed harvest operations.

Heavy frost with ice this morning about finished up tender garden stuff.

Mr. W. D. Stacey of Herschel, Sask., was a Chinook visitor over Sunday.

R. C. service will be held in Chinook on Saturday, the 16th inst, at 10 a. m. in Arm's hall.

Unlimited funds to loan on mortgage. Griffiths, Ford, Wright & Miller, Law Office, next the Post Office, Youngstown, Alberta

J. E. Strong, formerly station agent here, has been placed in charge at Youngstown station. Congratulations, Johnny.

The service in the evening at the Chinook church will begin at 7 o'clock for the winter months, commencing Sunday, Sept. 24th

The work on the new Terwilliger elevator has progressed so rapidly the past week or so, that it is expected to be ready for this year's crop.

Who Were They ?

An auto containing two lone occupants went "honk-konking" out of town early Sunday morning. Wonder who it was, and where they went to ? Ask —

Will He Take It ?

Mr. S. Dilks had the pleasure of a visit from his mother this week. Before returning home she gave him some good motherly advice. Wonder if he'll take it ?

Sees and Is Conquered

Mr. W. C. Brownell of Seibert, Colorado, is visiting his son, C. R. Brownell. Mr. Brownell, sr., is so well pleased with this western country that he has decided to purchase some land here before returning home.

DENTISTRY

DR. PIPER will be in Chinook in Sept. from the 19th to the 23rd, inclusive.

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Carpathia school district has decided to take another and final vote as to whether they will join with the newly formed Chinook Consolidated S.D. The voting takes place on Thursday, the 21st It is to be hoped that it will be carried in its favor this time.

A Very Pleasant Time

The ladies aid was entertained at the home of the president, Mrs. A. Nicholson, on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. J. R. Miller, the first vice-president, presided. A lot of business was transacted, the gathering being one of the largest for several months. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

CHINOOK MARKETS

Wheat, No. 1	\$1 35
" No. 2	1 32
" No. 3	1 27
Oats, No. 2, Canada West	37½
Oats, feed	35
Barley	65
Flax	1 63
Corn	
Live Hogs (Calgary)	10 50
Eggs	25
Butter	35

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